

Request an MSHA Individual Identification Number (MIIN)

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Description

MSHA personnel, mine operators, independent contractors, miners, state grantees, MSHA qualified and certified persons and approved instructors should apply for a MIIN. MIINs will be substituted for social security numbers, eliminating the need to provide social security numbers on documents submitted to MSHA.

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31USC7701 Section 7701 (c)(2)(B), 5 USC 551(8)(A), 30 CFR [Part 48](#), [Part 70](#), [Part 71](#), [Part 75](#) , [75.153](#), [75.155](#), [Part 77.100](#), [77.103](#),[77.104](#), [77.105](#) and [Part 90](#)

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